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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

BRUSH SEAL DEVICE

By (Inventors):

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- ∑ 35 pages of Specification/Claims 1-5/Abstract are attached.
- Formal drawings (Figs. 1-18; 12 sheets are attached.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- An assignment of the invention to <u>EAGLE ENGINEERING AEROSPACE CO., LTD</u> is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and _____ reference(s).
- This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed
- Priority of foreign application No. 2001-100322 filed March 30, 2001 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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